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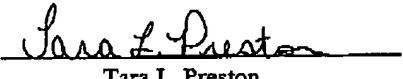
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The Examiner in charge of the above-identified application telephoned applicants' representatives on November 10, 2005, to communicate a restriction requirement between Group I, claims 1-6, Group II, claims 7-12, and Group III, claims 13-21.

In response to that restriction requirement, applicants' undersigned representative made a provisional election during a telephone conference with the Examiner on November 14, 2005 to prosecute the invention of Group I (i.e., claims 1-6) in this application. Applicants' undersigned representative hereby confirms that this provisional election was specifically made with traverse, since no adequate basis therefor has yet been set forth in the record.

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